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**REMARKS**

A phone interview was conducted January 25, 2005 with the Examiner. The phone interview included a discussion of the Advisory Action dated January 4, 2005. The Advisory Action was mailed in response to the Amendment and Request for Reconsideration After Final Rejection dated December 7, 2004, which adopted previous suggestions discussed during a prior phone interview.

The Advisory Action should have indicated the claims allowed as discussed during the phone interview of January 25, 2005. Specifically, the Examiner indicated that Claims 1, 15, and 17 should have been allowed. Also, dependent Claims 2-12, 18-20 should have been allowed for the same reasons set forth in the Amendment and Request for Reconsideration After Final Rejection dated December 7, 2004. Appropriate correction and a Notice of Allowance indicating the same is respectfully requested.

Further to the phone interview of January 25, 2005, independent Claims 13 and 16 were discussed. The Examiner suggested that the "either of" language should be changed. Accordingly, Claims 13 and 16 are currently amended adopting the Examiner's suggested language. The Examiner indicated further that the claims should then be allowed with the approval and concurrence of his Supervisor. Applicant respectfully requests a Notice of Allowance indicating that Claims 13 and 16, including dependent Claim 14, are allowable along with the other claims.

In view of the foregoing remarks, Applicant submits that all of the claims remaining in the case, namely Claims 1-20, are allowable and a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's undersigned attorney at (248) 223-9500, if any unresolved matters remain.

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